

Hobby-Arts-Flower Show Sweepstakes Winners Told



—Press photo
AMONG NURSERIES this "Tropical Garden" arranged by Jack Koebig, Delmer Cunningham, and Mrs. Ella Cunningham (pictured), co-owners of the Tropical Gardens, 1510 W. Carson st., won the sweepstake.



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BASKET DISPLAY (left) by Tameichi Wada, 1854 Lomita Blvd., Lomita, won sweepstake for individual entry in the flower division. The Oriental display won first place.



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CLUB ENTRY winning the sweepstake in the flower division was this "Shade Garden" entered by the Redondo area branch of the American Begonia society, Mrs. Diane Williamson, chairman.



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"FLOWERS ARE JEWELS" is the name of this sweepstake winner entered in the florists' division by Bertha Kehrer, manager of La Galeria Florist shop, 1620 Gramercy ave.

Stork Shower Fetes Mrs. Harold Johnson

Mr. Stork in the center of a gift-laden table keynoted the lovely shower complimenting Mrs. Dorothy (Harold) Johnson last week, co-hosted by Mmes. Annie (Arthur) Johnson and Lora Rosencrantz at the former's 2450 25th st. home in Lomita.

Pink and blue crepe paper streamers cascaded from the ceiling over the table, as the many guests brought pink and blue-wrapped packages for the honoree.

Among those present were Mmes. Virginia Chase, Francis Clarke, Irene Harris, Virginia Miller, Betty Street, Betty Wurm, Walter Martin, Oterene Rasband, and P. Deprey.

Others were Mmes. Dot Maloom, Lorraine Hendrix, Valerie Paige, Darlene Deprey, Ardeth Johnson, Minnie Dorsey, and Rose Bridgman, mother of the honoree.

Still more were Misses Arlene Paige, Sondra and Shirley Rosencrantz, and Dorothy and Myrna Gordon, and Mmes. Judy Anderson, Maxine Patton, Clara Johnson, and Phyllis Wolters.

Shower For Mrs. Otteson

What was purported to be an informal neighborhood coffee klatch resulted in a surprise shower for Mrs. Raymond Otteson, as a group gathered at the 920 Cranbrook avenue home of Mrs. Thomas Fenton last Monday morning.

Informal affair were Mesdames Roy Zhe, Clyde Anderson, William Crooker, Noland Stuckey, Ruth Mohr, Bud Major, Phil Patton, B. Stuppey, and Lucien Burque.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Free, of 1698 W. 216th, announce the birth of a son, Gregory Lew.

Among those attending the

Women

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Lomita Community Flower Show Set for June 4 and 5

The Lomita Community Flower Show committee and the executive board of the Lomita Fuchsia Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed Shurgot, 2460 25th street, at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, May 18, at which time final layout of the floor plan for the show will be made.

DADS TO CONDUCT NURSERY

A special treat is in store for the children of the Torrance Coop Nursery School and their fathers this Saturday, May 14, when the annual Fathers Day will be held. A regular school day will be in session, with the fathers as teachers . . . no mothers allowed.

A workshop will be held by the coop on Monday, May 16, at 7 p.m. There will be a general discussion on specific nursery school problems and teaching techniques.

The monthly board meeting of the Torrance Co-Op Parent Nursery School was held May 2 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard O'Brian, 610 Gertruda avenue, Redondo Beach. May plans were completed at this time.

Membership meeting of the Parent Education class was held May 9 at 7:30 in the high school cafeteria. Speaker for the evening was Mrs. Erma Pixley, spiritual and moral guidance director for the Los Angeles city schools.

Nursery school registrations are now being taken for the fall semester and interested parents should contact Mrs. Galen Truesdell at FA. 8-0559. Children must be 2½ years of age or over.

Betsy Ross Club

The Betsy Ross Club will meet at the home of Jean Mosher, 2306 West 248th street, Lomita, on Tuesday, May 17, at 10 a.m. It will be a pot luck luncheon. Members do not need to bring their own service. Those wanting rides call Marguerite Morgan.

Pre-teen Fashions To Be Shown At St. Catherine's

The fifth grade mothers of St. Catherine's school are staging a luncheon and pre-teen fashion show today, May 12, at 12 o'clock noon in the parish hall, 3846 Redondo Beach Blvd.

Chairman of the affair is Mrs. George Carr, assisted by Mmes. John McClanahan, Arthur Du Rea, Melcom Fonger, Paulene Rewes, and Harold Higgins.

Following the luncheon featuring a chicken pie entree, the sub-teen fashions will be modeled by Misses Beverly Westwood, Geraldine Busuttill, Caffey Tyrrell, Peggy Goutch, and Master Jay Andrade. Chairman of the fashion show is Mrs. James Van Hoven.

A card party during which prizes will be awarded will follow the showing of fashions. Mrs. V. Tyrrell's district will hostess the regular monthly card party on Friday, May 13 at 8 p.m.

USC Scholarship Awarded Y Director Charlotte Lukes

Word has been received from the National Board of the Young Women's Christian Association that Mrs. Charlotte Lukes, director of the Torrance Branch of the YWCA, has been awarded a scholarship to enable her to carry out her plan for full-time study at the University of Southern California for the academic year 1955-1956.

In informing Mrs. Lukes of the award, Mrs. Margaret Logan Clark, director of leadership services stated, "The committee takes satisfaction in making this award on the basis of evidence of your commitment to the religious and social ideals of the YWCA. Your references filed with Personnel Services indicate that you have the qualifications for continuing to develop professional competence for work in the YWCA upon completion of your studies."

FIELD TRIP

Members of the Harbor Aquarium Society and the Junior Harbor Aquarium Society, with their friends and families will meet at the West end of Point Fermin Park in San Pedro, May 15 at 9:30 a.m. for a field trip to gather specimens in the tide pools on the beach during low tide. Participants will bring their own lunches, coffee will be provided by the club.



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WINNING sweepstake for his hand-made ceramic vase bowl (left) in the hobby division was David Baeza of 2008 W. 182nd st., Torrance. Baeza also won prizes with his other pieces.

ADVISORY COUNCIL TO MEET

The Harbor Area Advisory Council of the Family Service of Los Angeles Area will hold its annual luncheon meeting on Friday, May 13, at noon in the Lomita elementary school, 2211 W. 247th street, Lomita. Guest speaker at the luncheon will be Dr. Simon Conrad.

director of the State Mental Hygiene Clinic in Los Angeles. He will speak on "How We Influence Our Children's Personalities."

Family Service offers the help of professional caseworkers with training and experience in counselling individuals and families with personal and family problems. Torrance is served by the district office in San Pedro, and information may be obtained by phoning Miss Josephine Perry at TE. 3-5227.

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